STATE OF INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE Room N-1058, IGCN – 100 North Senate Indianapolis, IN 46204

ORDER A07-026

IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST OF KANKAKEE TOWNSHIP, LAPORTE COUNTY DUE TO TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE

The Department of Local Government Finance has reviewed your appeal for an excessive levy for an increase due to TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE in the amount of \$10,000. After a review of the petition and a recommendation of the Local Government Tax Control Board, pursuant to IC 6-1.1-18.5-12, and in consideration of all evidence provided, the Department of Local Government Finance finds as follows:

DENY

Excessive levy appeal for KANKAKEE TOWNSHIP, LAPORTE COUNTY, due to TOWNSHIP ASSISTANCE. The appeal is denied due to the need for an increase not being demonstrated and because the unit has a sufficient operating balance.

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Cheryl A. W. Musgrave, Commissioner

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I, Timothy J. Rushenberg, General Counsel of the Department of Local Government Finance, do hereby certify that the above is a full, true, and complete copy of the Order of this Department made this date in the above-entitled matter.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of this Department on this

day of

, 2007

Timothy J. Rushenberg General Counsel